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Title

A PARTICLE DETECTION AND REMOVAL APPRATUS FOR USE ON WAFER FABRICATION EQUIPMENT TO LOWER TOOL RELATED DEFECTS FROM PARTICLE

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In response to the Office action of 8/1/2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

There are no Amendments to the specification.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

There are no Amendments to the Drawings.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.